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Maysville Weather.

What May Be Expected Here During the Next Thirty-six Hours.

THE LEADER CODE.

WIND—WINDY—FALL.
Blue—BAY OF SNOW.
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If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going on a visit, please drop us a note to that effect.

Mr. John D. Bruer of Paris attended the Tobacco Fair.

Mrs. David Faulkner of Harro, Va., is visiting friends here.

Miss Adeline Sponsler of Cincinnati spent yesterday with relatives here.

Miss Mary Ross of Covington is the guest of Mrs. Mary Wilson of East Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dalton and little son are up from Cincinnati visiting relatives.

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Every county in both Districts was liberally represented; and experienced tobacco men assured The Leader that no finer display was ever seen in the United States. This is a strong claim, but the facts warrant it, and one enthusiastic gentleman declared that the exhibit ought to be sent to the Paris Exposition.

The judges displayed the most discriminating care, awarding premiums as follows:

BRIGHT LEAF.

First Premium, \$50; Joe Burk, Fleming county.

Second Premium, \$25; W. S. Tomlin, Mason county.

Third Premium, \$10; W. H. Lidenburger, Mason county.

The decision on first premium was unanimous on first ballot.

Judges—R. Y. Spaulding, Westmore Tobacco Co., Cincinnati; John Downing, Broker Cincinnati; Sam True, Fair City House, Louisville.

RED LEAF.

First Premium, \$40; Thomas Murphy, Bracken county.

Second Premium, \$15; W. R. Flaughter, Brown county, O.



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LEAF.

First Premium, \$15; W. H. Lidenburger, Mason county.

Second Premium, \$10; Thomas Hughes, Mason county.

Third Premium, \$5; Mike Cogan, Mason county.

Judges—M. Buford, Auctioneer, Louisville; Black Runkin, Manager of the Fair, Cincinnati; H. B. Hard, Manager Central House, Louisville.

CHARTERED TRAIL PILKES.

First Premium, \$15; Logan Marshall, Mason county.

Second Premium, \$10; S. S. Lawrence, Fleming county.

Third Premium, \$5; George Humlog, Bracken county.

Judges—C. McIntyre, Broker, Cincinnati; A. Eldridge, Broker, Cincinnati; Elijah Withers, Auctioneer, Cincinnati.

CONC.

Best sample White Corn, twenty ears, premium, \$5; T. J. Cooper, Brown county, O.

Best sample Yellow Corn, twenty ears, premium, \$5; B. C. Bradford, Brown county, O.

Judges—Ben. Longenecker, A. P. Stiles and W. H. Kohl.

AT THE OPERA HOUSE.

The exercises at the Opera-house began about 1:30 p. m.

Ever the beginning of the program a very large crowd had assembled, showing that the interest of the people had been aroused and that they intended making the final arrangements of the Tobacco Fair as much a success as the exhibitions had been.

The music for the afternoon was furnished by the Maysville orchestra. President Daley stated the object of holding such a meeting, speaking as follows:

President of Maysville District.

Friends of Kentucky and Ohio, and fellow-citizens of Maysville. We have provided a program which will give you a fine opportunity to see the best of the tobacco of this section, and to hear the best of the music of this section.

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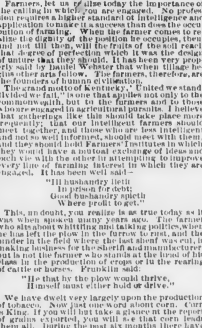
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Bulletin, and the farmers who want their use for seed are invited to call and get a share while the supplies last.

The generous cigar manufacturers of the city, cigars that began at the Tobacco Fair of 1900; and before the printed program was completed many visitors were forced to leave in order to catch out-going trains.

Now for the Maysville Tobacco Fair of 1901!

STRAY LEAPS.

For numerous courtesies The Leader is indebted to Messrs. Thomas J. Pickett and Mr. J. C. Raine, who had charge of the entries.

Hon. Garrett S. Wall's speech was timely, and the applause that greeted his stay at latter-day politics showed plainly that he struck a popular chord.

One of the most prominent visitors was Mr. Will Spaulding, representing the Westmore Tobacco Company of St. Louis. Mr. S. is always a welcome visitor to Maysville.

The officers of the Board of Trade extend hearty thanks to all who so generously assisted in the promotion and success of the Fair, to mention whom would require a column of space.

Saturday's weather was decidedly healthy, and militated against the merchants. Had the day been bright neither the old city's stores nor its streets would have been the visitors.

All members of Committees did their parts so well that it would be unfair to individualize, further than to say that Mr. John C. Adamson was from the first a most zealous assistant to President Daley.

Mr. Hal C. Curran, Corresponding Secretary of the Board of Trade, was a most assiduous and intelligent worker for the success of the Fair, and the volume of correspondence and the many details have been an arduous task; but he mastered them all, and was equal to every emergency.

Fresh Oysters at Roper's.

Fancy Timothy Seed. Call at M. C. Russell & Son's.

Coughs and colds cure unsifted, but you can quickly get rid of them with a few doses of Cassell's Honey of Life. Price 25 cents. J. J. Wood & Son.

Stated meeting this evening at 7 o'clock of Maysville Commercial No. 10, K. T., at the Masonic Temple.

T. A. Keith, E. C.

Persons who read a line of exposure are subject to rheumatism, neuritis and lameness will find a valuable remedy in Ballard's Snow Liniment. It will instantly relieve all these ailments. Price 25 cents. J. J. Wood & Son.

Representative Money of Fleming county has introduced in the House an act to prohibit cooperative insurance companies from extending their policies over more than two counties.

Jacob and William Kubel of the Washington neighborhood have delivered their crop of tobacco, 17,000 pounds, raised in the county, to Mr. Joseph Burke at Johnson Junction at 10¢ all round. Who can beat them?

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Removed to our

FIGURING ALL DAY

Gen. Warren Engaged With the Enemy at Spearman's Camp and Potgieters Drift.

BRITISH FORCES MADE SOME ADVANCE

They However Report That Nearly Three Hundred Officers and Men Were Killed and Wounded.

Boers Driven From Their Position by the Heavy Fire of the English Batteries—Lord Roberts Advancing.

London, Jan. 22.—The war office received three different dispatches from Gen. Buller, all dated at Spearman's camp. The first one was sent at 6:55 a. m., and said:

"In order to relieve the pressure on Gen. Warren and to ascertain the strength of the enemy in the position in front of Potgieters drift, Lord Lytton made a reconnaissance in force yesterday. This kept the enemy in their trenches in full force all day. Our casualties: killed, 12; wounded, 20; missing, 2.

The second dispatch was dated at 10 a. m., and was as follows: "The following were wounded in the action near Ventersburg yesterday: Officers—Staff, Col. L. Hamilton and Maj. C. McGreggor; Second Lieut. Caslake; Fusiliers, Capt. R. B. Blunt and Second Lieut. M. G. Crofton and E. J. M. Harcourt; First Border Rifles, Capt. C. D. Vaughan and Second Lieut. Murrie; First York and Lancashire, Second Lieut. Keir; Second Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry, Second Lieut. A. Hensley (since dead); and Maj. F. English; Second Gordons, Second Lieut. P. D. Stewart, and 270 non-commissioned officers and men. The third and last one was sent at 9 p. m., and said:

"Gen. Warren has been engaged all day, chiefly on his left, which he has swung forward about a couple of miles. The ground is very difficult, and as the fighting is all the time uphill, it is difficult to estimate how much we have gained, but I think we are making substantial progress."

DETAILS OF THE BATTLE.

Boers' Batteries Were Completely Silenced and the British Position Considerably Advanced.

Durban, Jan. 22.—The Natal Advertiser has the following from Spearman's camp, dated Saturday:

"Gen. Warren's column attacked a lengthy Boer position on the northern ridge of Spion. A heavy bombardment by a field battery, preceded the advance. The Boers were driven off with two guns, several machine guns and rifles. The British responded similarly, and long range firing became general, lasting until midnight. "Gen. Bullard drew the Boers from a splendid position simultaneously by a demonstration on their frontal position, drawing a rifle and a few men from Nordenfildt's and rifles. The British naval guns and howitzers shelled the trenches with considerable effect, and many Boers were observed falling. The British artillery completely silenced the Boer fire, and at night light the British infantry occupied an excellent advanced position."

Lady Smith loses. London, Jan. 22.—A third supplementary list of the British casualties in the attack upon Lady Smith on January 6, was published by the war office. It shows 28 non-commissioned officers and men killed and five seriously wounded. This brings the total of casualties in that engagement to 45.

Col. Plumer at Gaborone. Lourenço Marques, Jan. 22.—A dispatch from Gaborone, undated, says: "Col. Plumer has worked down this far toward Mafeking with three army corps and a relieving force. The bridge is being rebuilt, so that he may proceed."

Lord Roberts' Report. London, Jan. 22.—The war office has received the following from Lord Roberts, dated Cape Town, January 21: "Gen. French reports a demonstration with cavalry and two guns toward Hebron on Friday, but that otherwise his situation is unchanged."

Gen. Warren Advancing. Spearman's Camp, Jan. 22.—Gen. Warren's engagement at Spearman's camp has forced the enemy from their positions. The Lancashire and Irish brigades are advancing steadily. The fire is very severe occasionally.

Hospital Ship Reaches Cape Town. Cape Town, Jan. 20.—The American hospital ship *Mayaguez*, from West India docks, London, December 23, has arrived here.

MAKING HEARD FROM.

The Garrison Holding Out Against Atteridge and Mac Jan. 22.—Last Three More Months.

Mafeking, Jan. 6, by runner to Mafeking, Jan. 14, via Lourenço Marques, Jan. 21.—"We concentrated our artillery, consisting of a seven-pounder, a Nordenfildt and a Maxim gun, on January 3, compelling during the darkness, so as to bear on the enemy's big siege gun. We carefully considered the guns and the next afternoon, when the enemy had fired a couple of shells, we let loose

all our pieces, firing and loading as fast as possible.

"One of our shots must have thrown the enemy's siege gun out of position, for it ceased firing. With glasses we could see the Boers replying reinforcing that point. "The next day they moved back their guns two yards. They employed a five-pounder and proceeded to drop shells regularly into Market square. "We have made up our mind, however, to stick it out and have food for another three months. The whole garrison is enraged at the enemy for firing upon the women's laager."

Boers Keep Up Bombardment. Mafeking, Jan. 10, via Gaborone, via Lourenço Marques, 21.—The enemy continue the bombardment with field guns and an occasional 100-pound shell. They have again fired at the women's laager, but without hurting any one.

PRO-BOER MEETING.

A Large Mass Meeting at the Andriestown, in Washington, to Adopt a Series of Resolutions.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The Grand opening of the pro-Boer movement in Washington, was packed to the doors with an enthusiastic audience which vigorously expressed its sympathy with the Boers in their fight with Great Britain. The demonstration was planned as a means of evincing public sentiment and in numbers and enthusiasm was fully up to expectations. The speakers included members of both branches of congress and on the stage were other public men who came merely to add their moral support. The keynote of the speeches was that the Boers were fighting for their independence as our forefathers had done in 1776. The gathering assembled under the auspices of the United Irish societies, and a number of leading Germans of the city joined in the movement. "The Congressman Sulzer presided and after his speech introduced Senator Mason, of Illinois, who delivered the principal speech. Other speakers were Congressman Bailey, of Texas; Senator Allen, of Nebraska; Congressman Clark, of Missouri; De Armon, of Missouri; Cochran, of Minnesota; Lantz, of Ohio, and Mr. Van Sicken, of New York.

"The following resolutions were adopted: "Whereas, The American people still cherish the lessons and traditions of 1776 and therefore fully understand and realize the rapacious war which Great Britain is waging against a small but patriotic people, whose misfortune is the possession of natural wealth coveted by British greed.

"Whereas, In the prosecution of this robber warfare Great Britain has been balked as yet of her tyrannical designs, and has therefore resorted to unlawful and barbarous war tactics as her only means to victory.

"1. The arming and mobilizing of savages.

"2. The distribution of dunn dum bullets to her savage cohorts, and the boast that the British government possesses 100,000,000 such missiles.

"3. The illegal seizure of merchandise en route from the neutral ports of the United States to friendly Portuguese markets.

"Whereas, The president of the United States has not taken proper notice of these outrages, making it necessary for the people at large to protest, their will through public assemblages and serious warnings; "Therefore, The citizens of the American capital, in mass meeting assembled, Jan. 22, 1900, do hereby resolve: "Resolved, That the people of the Orange Free State and the South African republic are and of right ought to be free and independent, and their civilization is recognized to be equal in morality to that of any other people, and that no false witness of the British press to the contrary notwithstanding. Therefore the precipitation upon them of their arms in alliance with British soldiery threatens the reputation of the horrors of Wyoming, Fort Dearborn and other places, bitterly remembered by the American people as ruthless instances of British perfidy and dishonor. The attention of the president of the United States is respectfully directed to this feature which is a notorious matter of common reputation throughout the world.

"Resolved, That this meeting in concert with the American people throughout the land sends its sympathy and good will and heartfelt encouragement to the Boers and reminds them of the aid which they have rendered in all their struggles against the same foe, so may they.

"Resolved, That the president of the United States to exercise the prerogative vested in him by the peace convention lately arranged by the powers of the civilized world. We beg to offer his good offices as mediator between the Boers and the British for the deliverance of these unfortunate Englishmen from the clutches of a brigand band of gold grabbers and land hungry conspirators, not one of whom is at all worthy of the name of a soldier.

"Resolved, That we solemnly protest against the shipment of munitions of war from this country for the use of Great Britain."

Two Hundred Killed.

San Francisco, Jan. 22.—A special to the Examiner from Nogales, Mexico, says a battle has been fought by the Mexicans and Yaquis, in which the Yaquis were defeated. Their killed numbered 300. Five hundred were taken prisoners.

CONGRESS WORK.

Forecast of the Proceedings of Both the House and Senate For the Week.

ROBERTS' CASE TO BE DISPOSED OF.

Three Days Likely to Be Consumed in Speech Making Before a Vote is Reached.

He Will Not Be Permitted to Sit in Congress—Quay's Contest Case to Be Brought Up in the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The feature of the proceedings in the house this week will be the consideration of the case of Brigham H. Roberts, the Mormon representative-elect from Utah. The case has attracted intense interest all over the country. Though both the majority and minority of the committee which investigated the case agree that Mr. Roberts should not sit as a member of the house on account of alleged polygamous practices, there will be a struggle over the question of procedure, upon which the committee has split.

The case will be called up on Tuesday, and two, possibly three, days will be devoted to it. The majority of the committee believe that Mr. Roberts should be excluded, while the minority contend that he be seated and then be expelled, basing their argument for this course upon the ground that Mr. Roberts possesses all the constitutional qualifications for membership, and that any attempt to exclude him upon the theory that congress has

THE CHICAGO DRAINAGE CANAL.



Shows the water as it tumbled over the dam-trap dam at Lockport on its way to the Mississippi, when the canal was opened.

the power to add to those qualifications would establish a dangerous precedent that might result to plunge congress in the future.

Mr. Littlefield, of Maine, and Mr. De Armond, of Missouri, who presented the minority report, will make a strong fight and say they believe they can convince the majority of the house that the course they advocate is the only proper one to pursue. The majority of the committee on the other hand are confident that they will be backed, by a majority of the house. Mr. Roberts is expected to make a plea in his own defense. Should he be seated according to the contention of the minority a resolution to expel him will be immediately offered and this doubtless will carry by a almost unanimous vote, although the majority in their report have insisted that once seated a member can not be expelled for acts committed before he was a member of the house.

Friday will be devoted to eulogies upon the life and public services of the late Vice President Hobart.

The senate again this week will devote itself almost exclusively to speech making. A variety of subjects will be covered. The financial bill will remain the unfinished business, but the senate will not be held strictly to its consideration. Several set speeches probably will be made upon it, among those which are expected to speak being Senators Cockrell, Daniel and Allen. No announcement has yet been made of speeches on the subject of the measure, but now that a day has been fixed for a vote it may be expected that some of the friends of the bill will speak in its defense.

The first speech of the week will be made immediately after the close of the routine business by Senator Frydman on his resolution declaring the proposed amendments to the constitution of North Carolina to be in contravention of the federal constitution. He will speak on the North Carolina constitutional question.

The two reports on the Quay contest will be presented early in the

week, and as this contest is a privileged question, it is not likely to receive early attention. Senator Pendergast, who is in charge of Mr. Quay's case, says he will ask that the contest be pressed to an early decision in the senate. The Samson treaty will also be taken up again in executive session on the motion of Senator Jones, of Arkansas, to reconsider the vote by which it was ratified. The treaty has been already returned to the senate by the president to await the presentation of the Arkansas senator's motion.

INTER-FAMILY ROW.

Three Italians in New York City Shot to Death by Three Members of Another Italian Family.

New York, Jan. 22.—Three Italians of one home were shot to death in an inter-family row which began in an Italian tenement house on East 11th street, and ended in one of the worst Sunday travails the east side has seen for some time.

Antonio Colletti, 37 years of age, married one shot through the lung and died in his tracks; Gaspar Colletti, 19 years of age, his brother, was shot in the breast and died shortly thereafter; and David Salvatore, 40 years of age, a cousin of the Colletti's, was shot in the stomach and died in the hospital a few hours afterward.

Vincenzo Spinella and his son Frank, 17 years of age, have been arrested and charged with the murder, and the police are still searching for Frank Spinella, brother of Vincenzo, who also played a part in the tragedy.

Half Brothers Lynched.

Pt. Scott, Kan., Jan. 22.—Geo. Silbee and Ed Meeks, half brothers, who were convicted of murder here last week, were lynched by a mob in the county jail yard here.

NEWS IN KENTUCKY.

INDICTED FOR MURDER.

Col. Colson Held for the Killing of Ethelbert B. Scott in Frankfort by the Grand Jury.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 22.—The grand jury investigating the Colson-Shoot in the Capital Hotel made a report, indicting Col. Colson on two counts for wilful murder and on two counts for carrying concealed weapons. The first two indictments charge him with murder in the following language:

"The said David G. Colson in the said county of Franklin, on the 16th day of January, 1900, and before the finding of the indictment, did unlawfully, wilfully, feloniously, of his own free will and malice aforethought, with intent to kill, with a pistol, a deadly weapon loaded with powder and leaden ball, shoot, wound, kill and murder one Ethelbert B. Scott."

The grand jury asked for further time to investigate. Other witnesses will be examined with a view to ascertaining whether Colson or Scott killed Charley Julian and wounded Harry McLean.

Col. Colson's condition is somewhat improved, and fears as to his losing the wounded arm are no longer entertained by his physician. The news of the shooting was carried to him at once, but he manifested no surprise, as it was understood that he had expressed the opinion that the only way to clear himself of the facts in the case was through the courts, after he had been indicted.

Golden Growing Better.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 22.—The condition of Capt. Ben Golden, who was shot in the Capitol hotel, died at Frankfort, shows steady improvement and his physicians say that his recovery now seems to be certain. They will not fail to call to see him and do any talking. As soon as his condition will permit they will begin to peek for the hall which lodged near his spine.

Did Not Die of Smallpox.

Owensboro, Ky., Jan. 22.—The result of the autopsy on the remains of Charles Bailey, reported as having died on January 9 of smallpox, resulted in the coroner's jury returning a verdict to the effect that Bailey came to his death by wounds inflicted on his head with some blunt instrument. The coroner found four wounds on Bailey's head. Jim Nichols, Felix Nichols and Richard Hathaway are held in jail charged with Bailey's murder.

Two of His Sons Hanged.

Rockhouse, Ky., Jan. 22.—"Uncle" Allen Hall, aged 93, a mountain pioneer, is dead at his old home near Baker. He was the father of the late Tilton Hall, the celebrated Kentucky hunter who killed to men in his day, and who was hanged at Wise C. H., Va., in 1892. He was also the father of Henry Hall, who killed his uncle, Charley Hall, and who was hanged at Middlesboro, Ky., in 1893.

Drank Carbolic Acid.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 22.—Harry Vowles committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid. He went to the home of Charles Fields, thirty-seven and Florida streets, and, walking up on the porch, drank the deadly straight carbolic acid before assistance could reach him. It is said he was in love with a sister of Fields.

No Right of Removal.

Seventtville, Ky., Jan. 22.—The court in the suit of J. C. Wagoner, who is the owner of the town of Seventtville for the office of city marshal, from which he was removed several months ago by the town council, for alleged nonfeasance in office, ruled that while the trustees had acted in good faith, they had no legal right to remove Wagoner from an elective office.

Wounded in the Heart.

Drithin, Ind., Jan. 22.—Clay Stedcker, aged 5, while in the act of dressing, fell over dead. His parents thought the boy had been poisoned, and sent for a physician, who, upon examination, discovered that a blood-clot had formed in the artery of the heart. The physicians say the case has no parallel in the history.

Mail Carrier Murdered.

Mayfield, Ky., Jan. 22.—Sam Briggs, a one-legged mail carrier living in this place, was murdered in the post office at Mayfield, 20 miles south of here, by Ed Bruce. Bruce claimed that Briggs had insulted his wife, and this is denied by Briggs' friends. Bruce is still at large.

Kentucky Labor Union Organization. Louisville, Ky., Jan. 22.—In answer to a call by James McMillin, president of the Central Labor Union of the city, all of the members of the city trade unions met in convention here. They met for the purpose of forming a state federation of labor.

Judge Petrie Dead.

Elkton, Ky., Jan. 22.—Judge H. O. Petrie, a well known citizen, lawyer and lawyer, died here, aged 50 years. He was a republican and was once a senator and was a member of the constitutional convention. He leaves a handsome estate.

Dead in the Courthouse.

Carrollton, Ky., Jan. 22.—Frank McVey was found dead in the hallway, at the court house here. He had evidently gone in during the night, and in attempting to go upstairs had fallen to the marble floor and sustained fatal injuries.

Superintendent Goslee Dead.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 22.—Dr. Levin E. Goslee, superintendent of the asylum for the insane at Leland, died of heart trouble. He was a native of Newmarket, Henry county, and was 69 years of age.

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